

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
ROANOKE DIVISION

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MICHAEL RAY THORNTON,)
Petitioner) Criminal Action No. 7:05-CR-00029
v.) ORDER
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,) By: Hon. James C. Turk
Respondent) Senior United States District Judge

In accordance with the accompanying Memorandum Opinion, it is hereby **ORDERED** and **ADJUDGED** that Respondent's Motion to Dismiss is **GRANTED**; the above referenced motion pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255 is **DISMISSED**; and this action shall be **STRICKEN** from the active docket of this court.

The Clerk is directed to send a certified copy of this Order and the accompanying Memorandum Opinion to Petitioner and to counsel for the United States.

ENTER: This 4th day of September, 2012.

James C. Turk
Senior United States District Judge